

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Rathore, et al.

Serial No.: 10/646,798

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Examiner: Gudibande, Satyanarayan

**Title: METHOD FOR THE PREPARATION OF GROWTH HORMONE AND
ANATAGONIST THEREOF HAVING LOWER LEVELS OF ISOFORM
IMPURITIES**

Commissioner for Patents

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RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111

Dear Sir/Madam:

This communication is in response to the Office Action mailed June 28, 2007, in the above-referenced application. Applicants request the opportunity to interview the Examiner following receipt of this response.

A new Power of Attorney is filed concurrently herewith

The commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17, to Deposit Account No. 16-1445.

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